



the AMAZING SPIDER-MAN™

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..THIS ONE'S GOT IT!

THE AMAZING SPIDER-MAN!

"FROM THE DEPTHS OF DEFEAT!"



THEY SAY THAT A DYING MAN SEES HIS WHOLE LIFE FLASH BEFORE HIM WHEN THE END IS NEAR... SO IT IS WITH THE FALLEN SPIDER-MAN WHO DARES TO BATTLE THE DEADLY VULTURE, WHILE STRICKEN WITH A VIRUS ATTACK, HAS BEEN DOWNED AND LEFT FOR DEAD...

ALSO, RE-INTRODUCING:
KRAVEN THE HUNTER

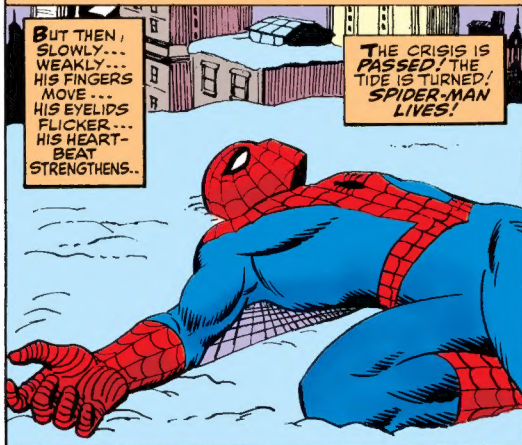
A STAN LEE and JOHN ROMITA ACTION EPIC

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SAM ROSEN

FOR LONG, FATEFUL MOMENTS THE STILL FIGURE LIES ON THE ROOFTOP... HIS PULSE GROWING EVER **FAINTER** AS THE EVENING TEMPERATURE CONTINUES TO **DROP**...

BUT THEN... SLOWLY... WEAKLY... HIS FINGERS MOVE... HIS EYELIDS FLICKER... HIS HEART-BEAT STRENGTHENS...

THE CRISIS IS PASSED! THE TIDE IS TURNED! **SPIDER-MAN LIVES!**

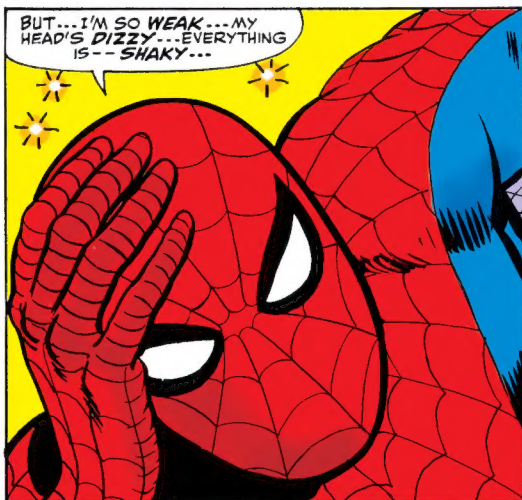


IT MUST BE... THE INTENSE **COLD**... THAT THE **VULTURE** THOUGHT WOULD FINISH ME OFF...

INSTEAD... IT HAD THE **OPPOSITE** EFFECT... IT **REVIVED** ME...!

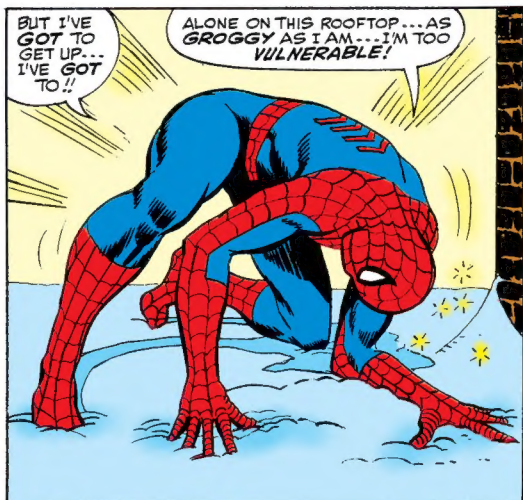


BUT... I'M SO **WEAK**... MY HEAD'S **DIZZY**... EVERYTHING IS -- **SHAKY**...



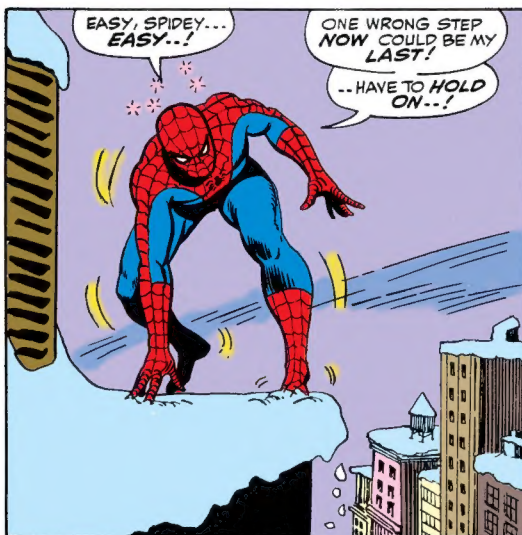
BUT I'VE GOT TO GET UP... I'VE GOT TO!!

ALONE ON THIS ROOFTOP... AS **GROGGY** AS I AM... I'M TOO **VULNERABLE!**



EASY, SPIDEY... **EASY...!**

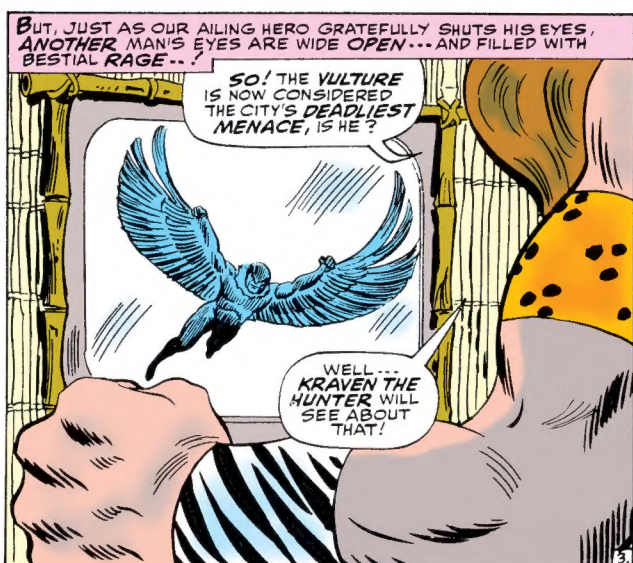
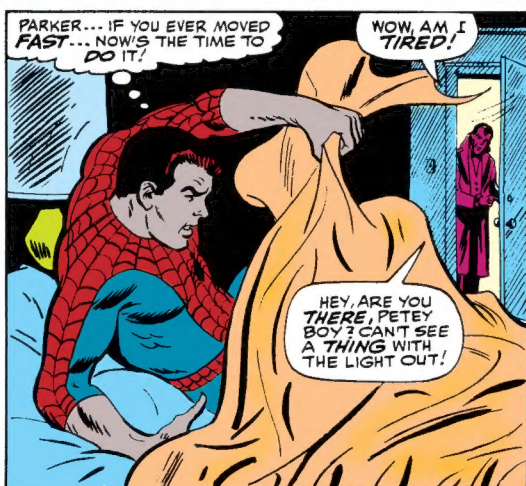
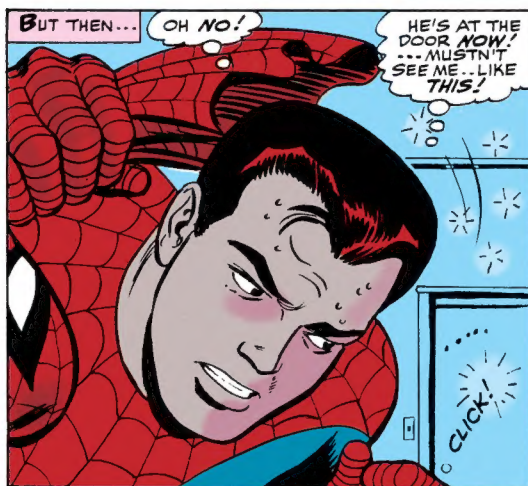
ONE WRONG STEP NOW COULD BE MY **LAST!**
...HAVE TO **HOLD ON...!**



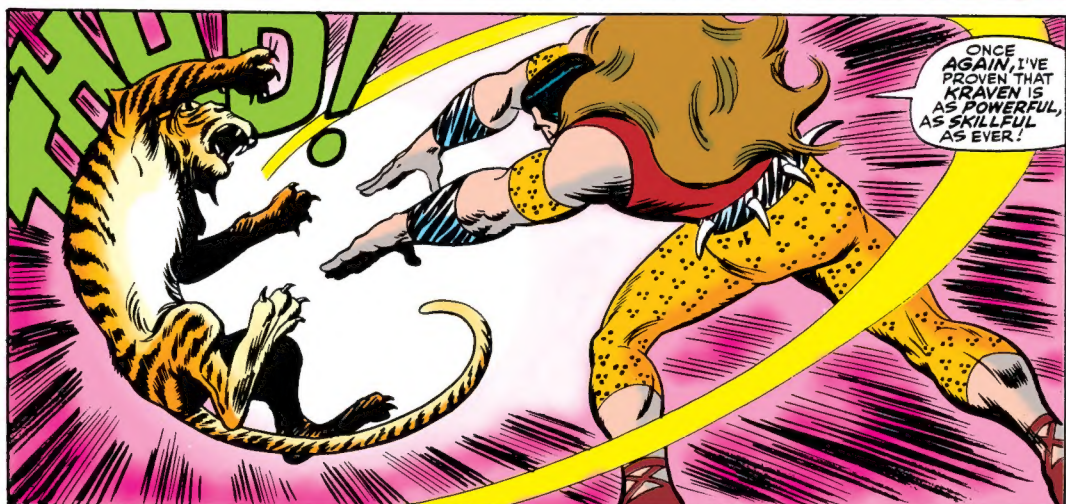
SOME **FREE-SWINGIN'** SPIDER-MAN I'VE TURNED INTO!

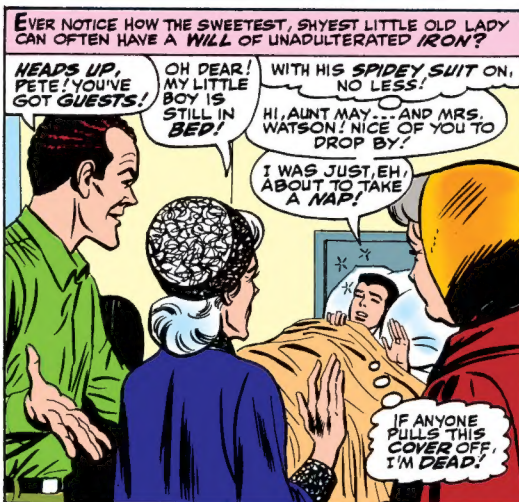
IF NOT FOR THIS **LADDER** BEING HERE... I'D NEVER HAVE **MADE** IT!

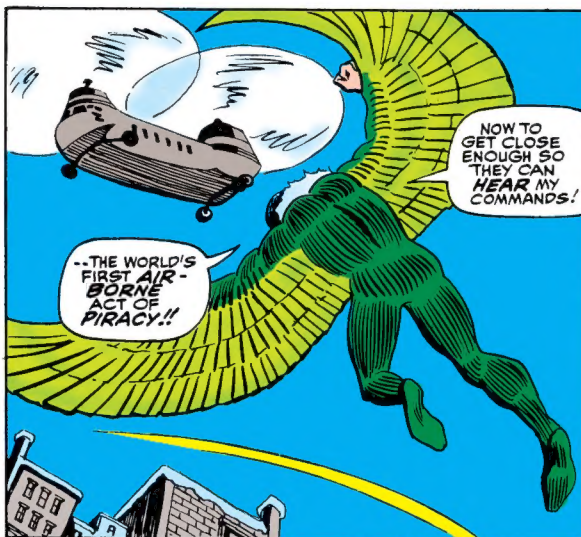
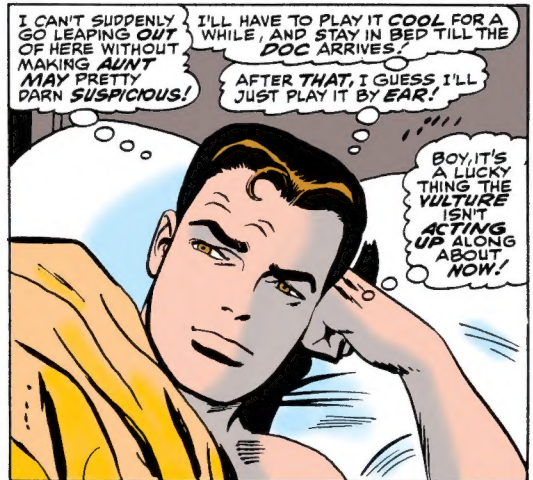
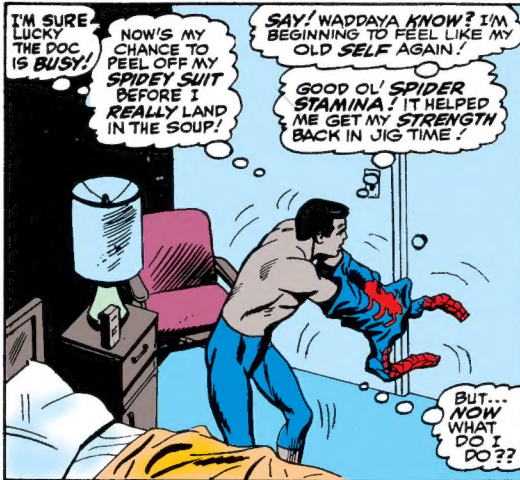


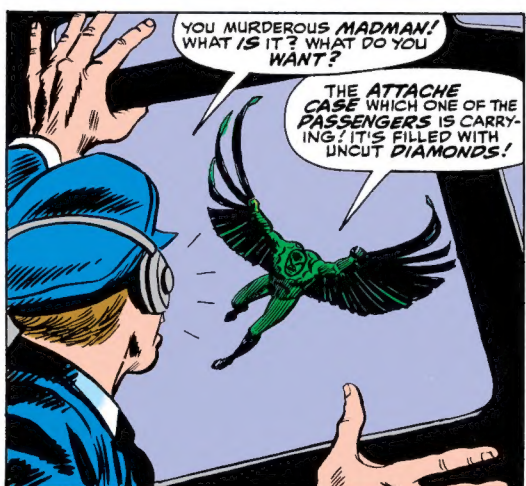
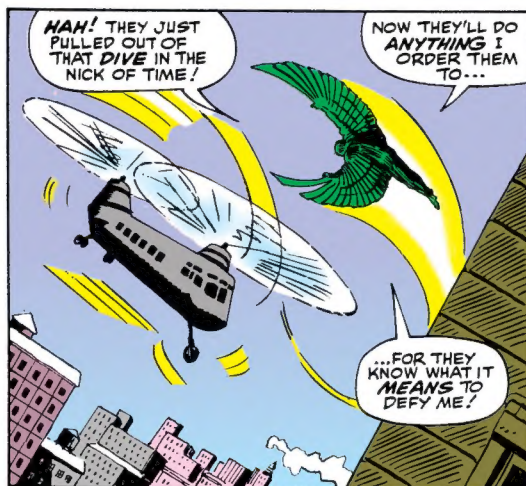
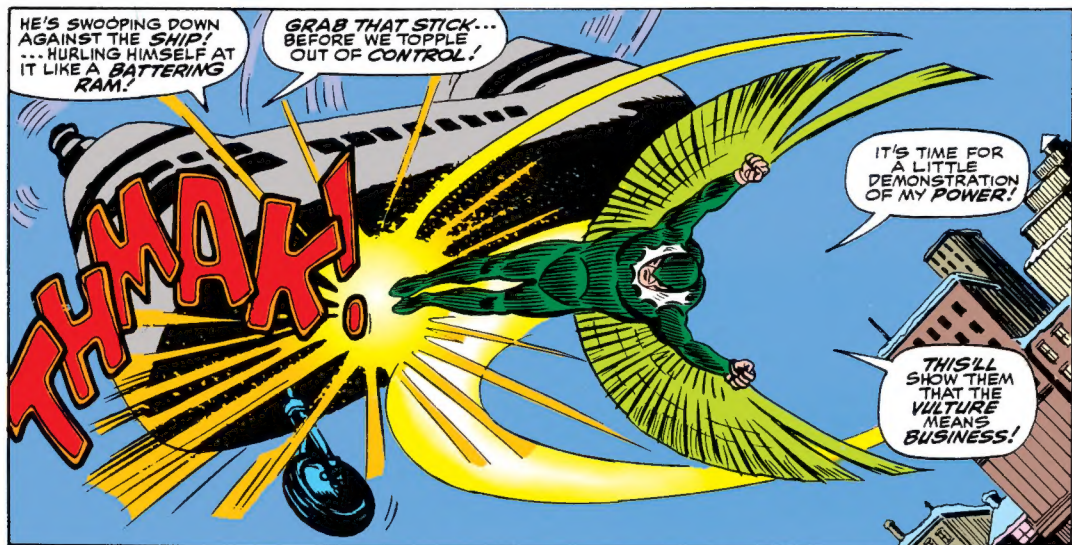


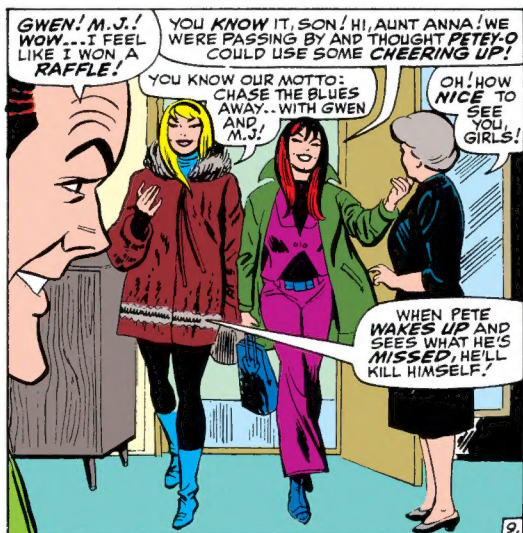
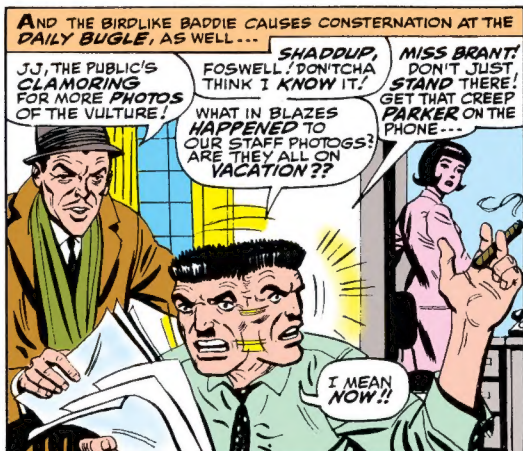
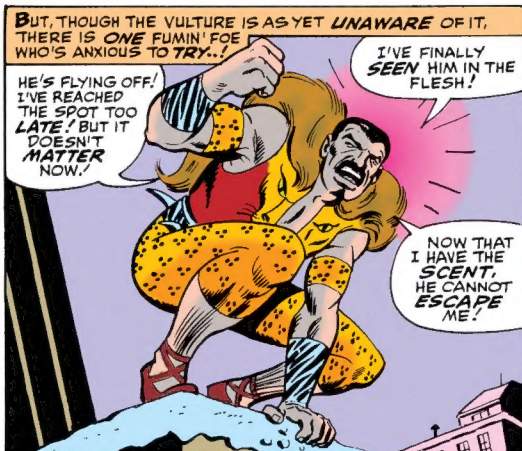
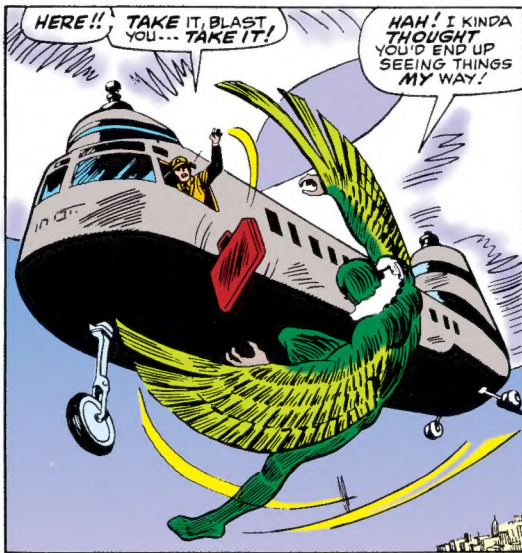


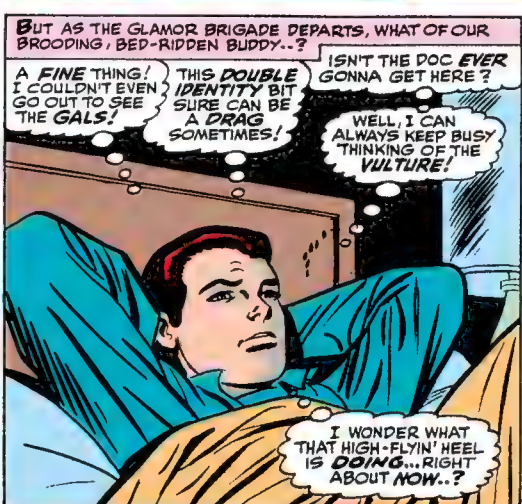
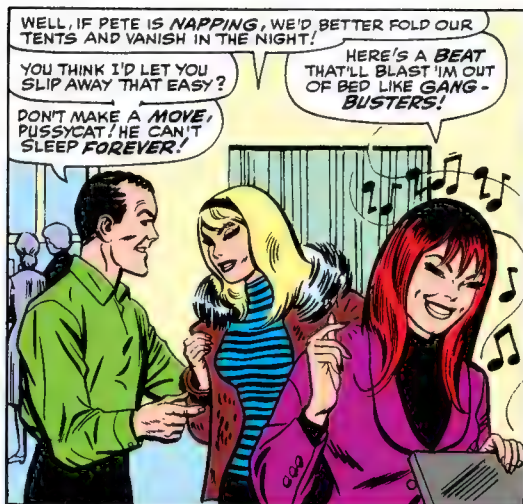




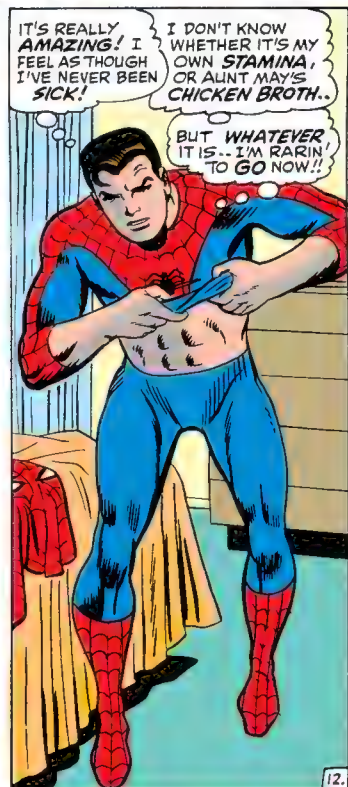
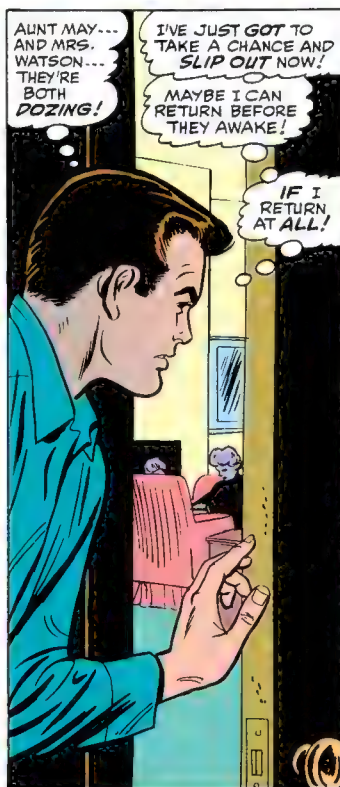
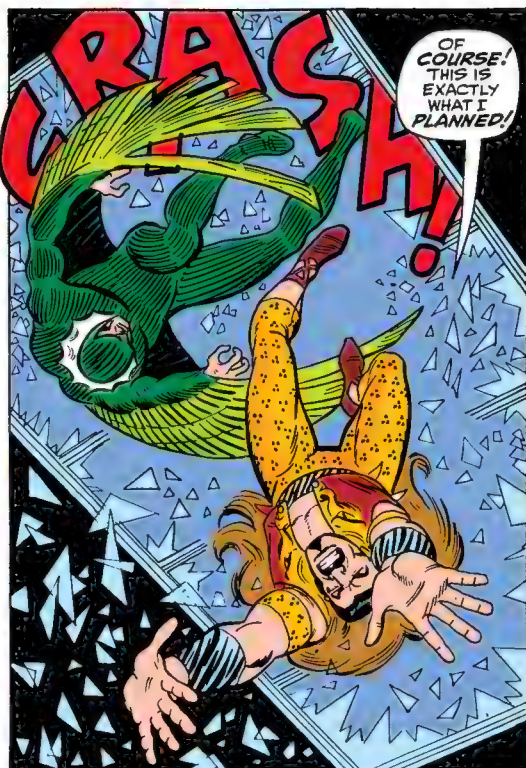












AND SO, TO THE DELIGHT OF ZILLIONS OF SPIDEYPHILES EVERYWHERE, IT'S WALL-CRAWLING TIME ONCE MORE...!!

I KNOW HOW POWERFUL KRAVEN AND THE VULTURE ARE... BUT I ALSO KNOW I CAN TAKE 'EM BOTH!

I'VE GOT THE SPEED, AND THE SKILL, AND THE STRENGTH TO COME OUT ON TOP IN ANY BALL GAME!

I'VE HAD SOME UNLUCKY BREAKS BEFORE... BUT NOW MY LUCK'S CHANGED... I CAN FEEL IT!

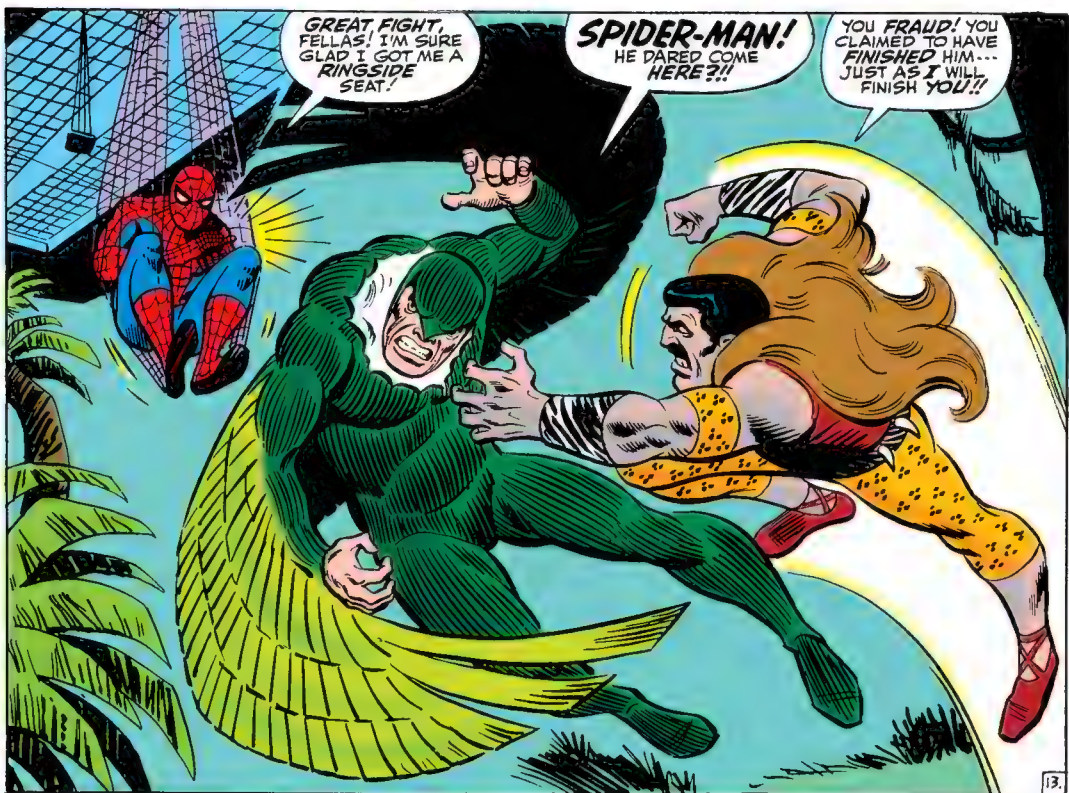
I KNEW IT WOULDN'T TAKE ME LONG TO REACH EXHIBITION HALL!

NO WONDER KRAVEN PICKED A SPOT LIKE THIS... IT'S ALL FITTED OUT FOR THE EXPLORERS' EXHIBITION!

HE'LL BE RIGHT IN HIS ELEMENT... IT'S LIKE A MINIATURE JUNGLE IN THERE!

PRETTY CLEVER THE WAY HE COVERED THIS SKYLIGHT WITH A NET, SO THE VULTURE CAN'T FLY OUT AGAIN!

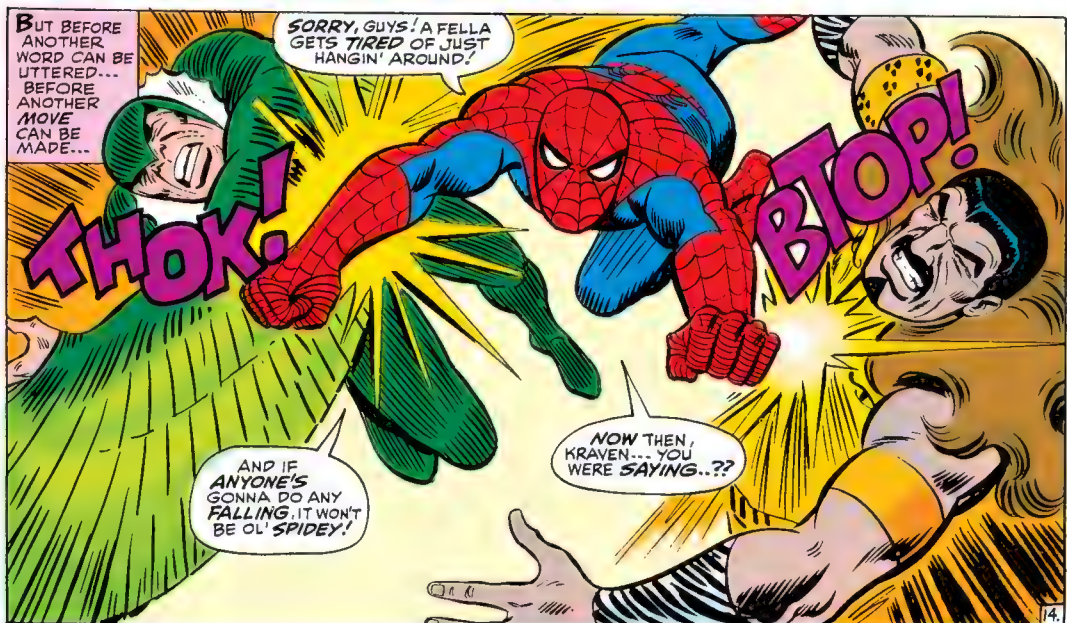
WELL, I'D BETTER SET UP MY CAMERA AND JOIN THE PARTY WHILE IT'S STILL GOING STRONG...!

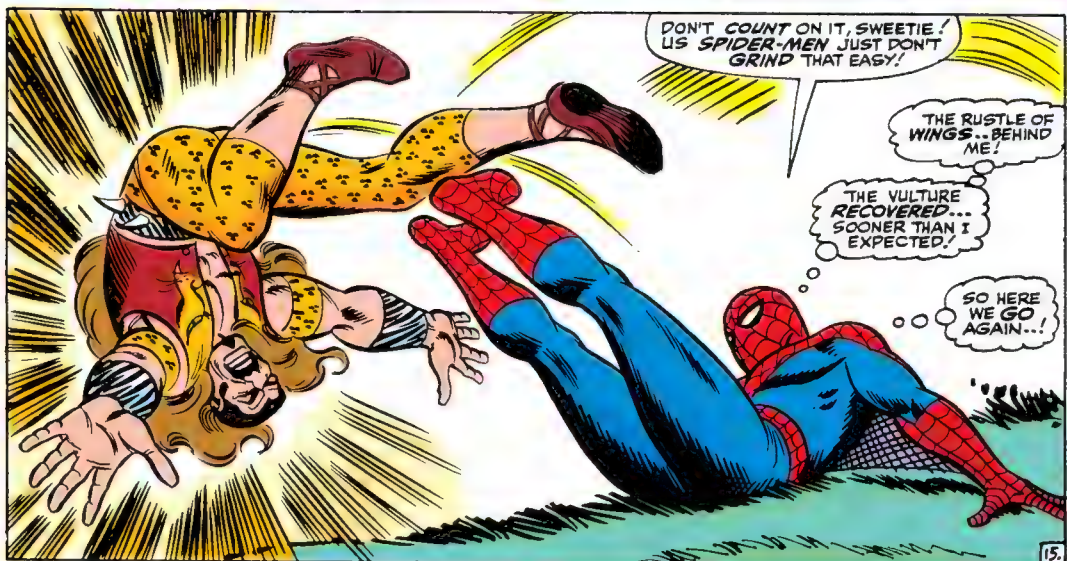
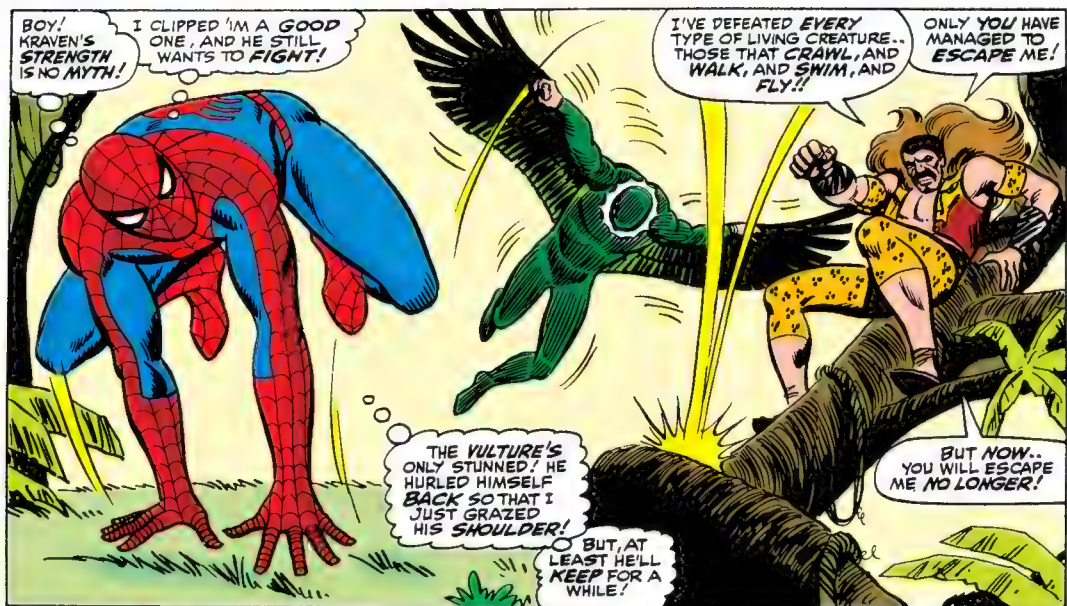


GREAT FIGHT, FELLAS! I'M SURE GLAD I GOT ME A RINGSIDE SEAT.

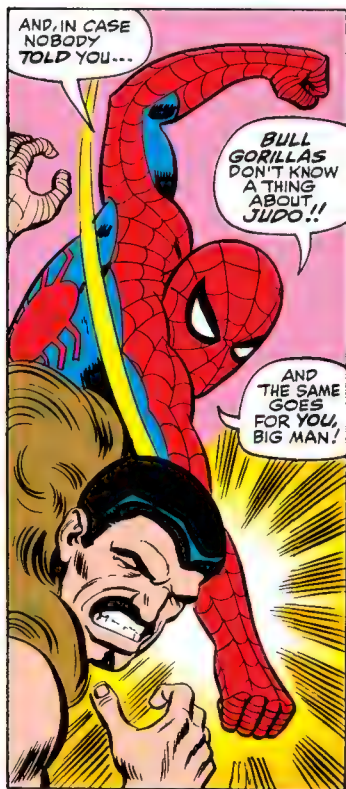
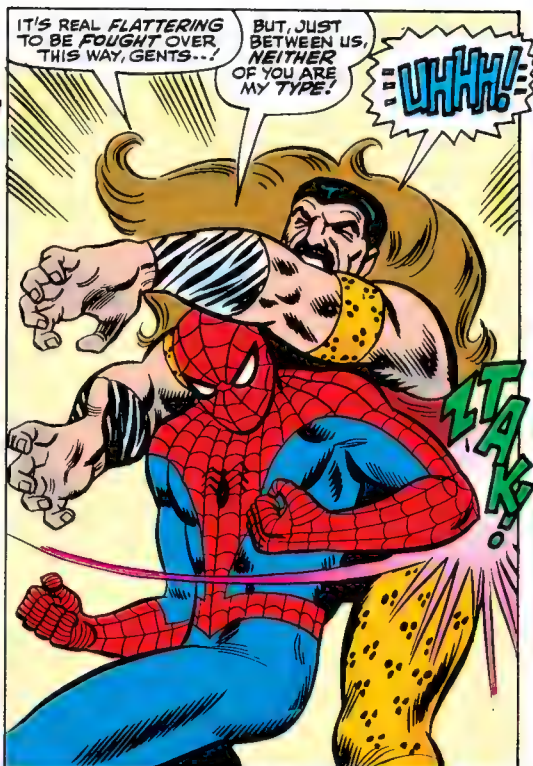
SPIDER-MAN! HE DARED COME HERE?!!

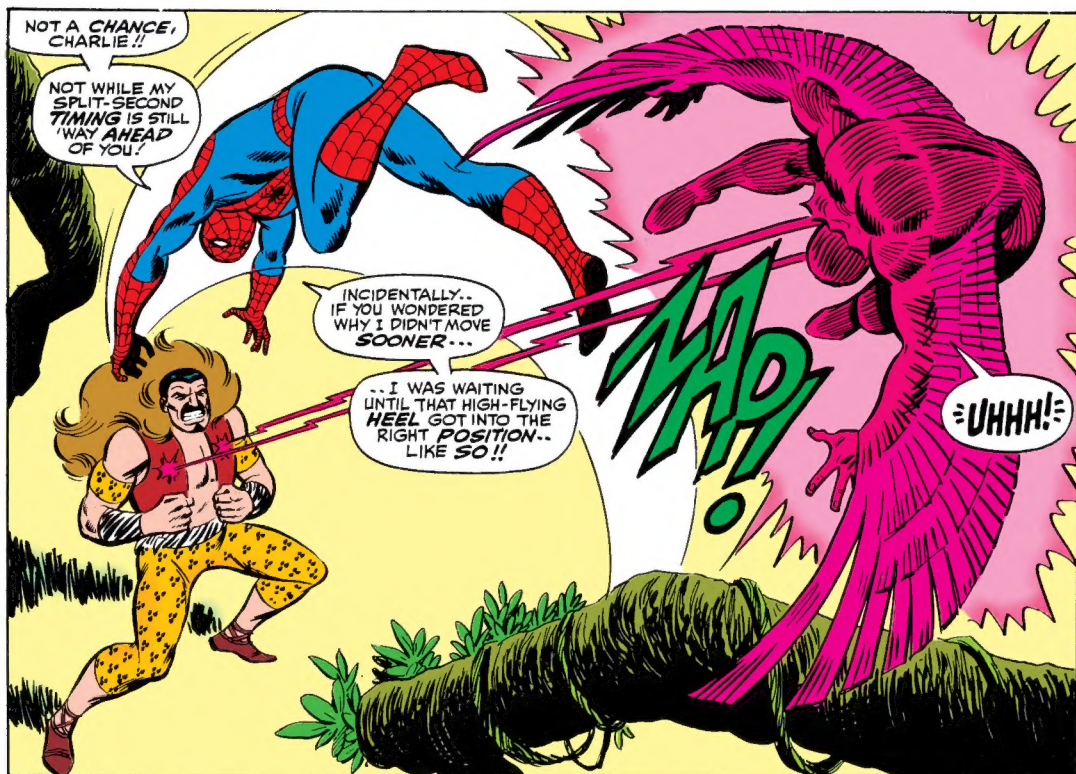
YOU FRAUD! YOU CLAIMED TO HAVE FINISHED HIM... JUST AS I WILL FINISH YOU!!

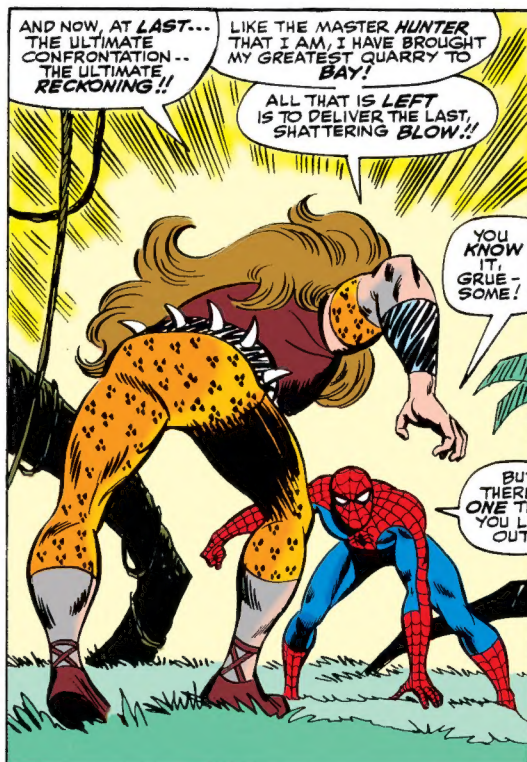


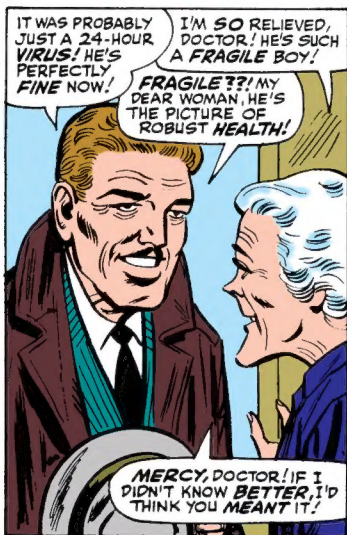
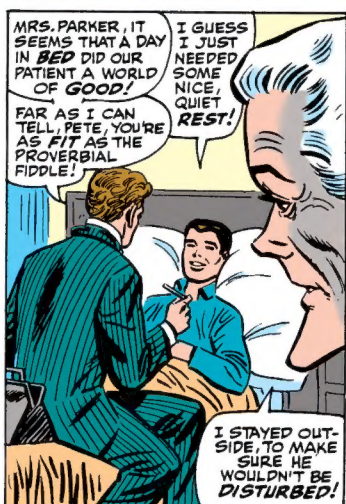
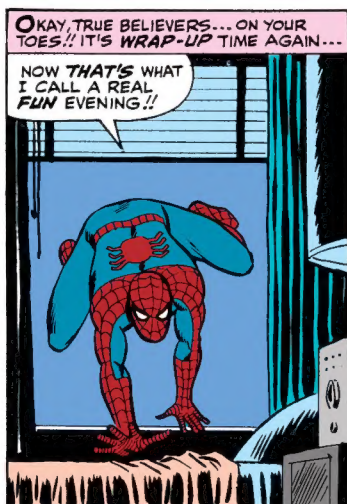
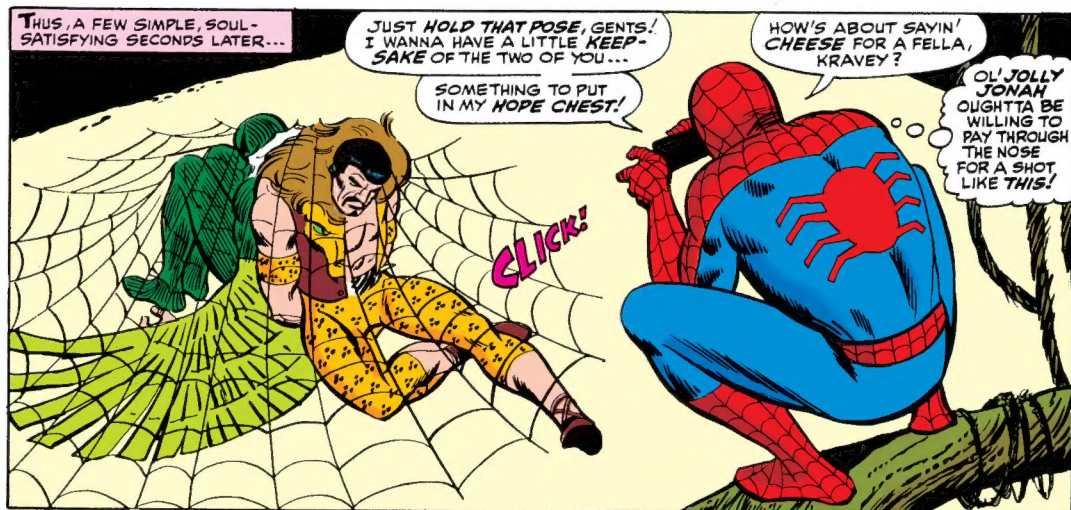














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